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**WOMEN READERS**

A PRETTY HOUSE GOWN.



This French model makes a very attractive house gown. The original was in rose-colored crepe de chine. A tunic pleated in at the waist with bands of narrow filet lace and scalloped in silk of the same shade falls over an underskirt, also of the crepe de chine. The waist is made surplice in extremely becoming lines, trimmed with scalloping and lace, the whole being finished by a girde of satin in a deeper shade of rose.

**THE CORRECT FORM FOR NOTES OF CONDOLENCE**

Brevity Should Be Chief Characteristic of Epistles Visiting Cards Necessary Only for Formal Acquaintance.

Condolences on any bereavement are imperative from all persons who pretend to be polite. To ignore the sorrow through which a friend, even an acquaintance, may be passing is to intimate entire indifference.

To formal acquaintances a visiting card alone is sufficient, and on hearing of a death in a family a friend takes her card, and that of her husband, is she is married, and incloses it in an envelope. Should the person bereaved also be married, and it is not her husband who has died, the regular rule of cards for married persons obtains. That is, the married woman would send one of her own and two of her husband's, one of his being required for both the other man and his wife. If the bereavement is one which leaves a woman a widow, naturally only one card of each would be sent her.

If cards of condolence are going to a man and his wife the envelope should be addressed to both.

Nothing is written on the cards, nor is a corner turned. The bit of postcard represents a call which is not made in person, as those in affliction would not be receiving visits.

**Visiting Cards Sent After Death.**

The cards should be sent as soon as announcement of the death is made. It is a very gracious act of courtesy to go within a month to call, but there should be no feeling of annoyance if the visitor is not received. Persons vary extremely about this, and while some like to see friends, others do not wish their sorrow invaded. It is the privilege of those in mourning to receive or not, as they choose, although after a month one is supposed to be at home to all intimate friends.

To write a formal note of condolence is not an easy task, and yet it should not be difficult, because there is little to say, and any expression should be brief. A long letter is painful to both reader and writer. A married woman might write in this

way to another on the death of the latter's husband:

My Dear Mrs. Smith: Mr. Jones and I sympathize deeply with you in the great sorrow which has befallen, and I only wish it lay within our power to help you. We shall always count the friendship with Mr. Smith as one of our great privileges, admiring him as we did, and we grieve with and for you most truly. Sincerely your friend,

MARY JANE JONES.

It would be easy to transpose words in such a note to make it read to a widower in bereavement.

**Good Form to Send Flowers.**

The sending of flowers to persons who have been plunged into mourning is one of the graceful courtesies of such times, and unless they go to an intimate friend, nothing should be written on the visiting card that accompanies them.

No person needs assistance to express sentiments of sorrow or joy to intimate friends, for they write as they would speak.

A man may send flowers to a girl on the death of a parent or member of the immediate family, and it is not necessary that he should write a note to accompany the gift. His card is enough, but it is expected that later he will call, even if he is not received.

When those in bereavement have a large acquaintance it is customary to post engraved cards of thanks to all who have sent messages of condolence. Such a card is always black bordered, and the form varies little.

If this is not done notes must be answered by notes in return. Such a communication might read like this:

My Dear Mrs. Jones: I thank you most sincerely for the kind thoughts of us in our affliction, and if anything could help, it is the loving sympathy that has been shown. Believe me, we appreciate it deeply, and after a time, when life grows less hard, I hope to be able to thank you. Most sincerely,

MARY SMITH.

If only a visiting card has been posted, no acknowledgment is necessary.

**FASHION DECREES THAT TIGHT SLEEVES BE WORN**

Sleeves of two materials are no longer in favor. This may be due to the fact that thin goods or those which are pleated are popular this winter. Whatever the cause, a thick, dark top with white lower part is not now a fad.

The majority of sleeves are long, and almost without exception, small, so that frocks made two months ago proclaim their age by the amount of fullness at the shoulders, for in the fall models there is little more material than is required for comfort.

Such modes mean that thin stuffs must, of necessity, be employed, as thick fabrics would be almost impossible to manipulate. Therefore when a cloth costume is made one sees that the stuff which must be used for decoration appears in the sleeves, the latter being saved from an effect of marked contrast only by clever manipulation of the trimming. If satin bands are employed on cloth dresses the sleeves should be satin. If the gown is silk or satin, lace trimmed, the sleeves would be of silk rather than the lace, because, when possible, they continue the foundation scheme rather than accentuate the trimming.

Fortunately for those who do not like striking styles, few materials used are stiff; therefore it is possible to employ the principal goods for all parts of the frock. Ladies' cloth and the novelty effects are soft. That, indeed, might be called the distinguishing feature of dressy materials. As a matter of fact, the most popular stuff for calling frocks is satin or crepe that is as smooth as satin. It is these goods that lend themselves to the graceful draperies and folds of the empire models that would be impossible with any rigid materials.

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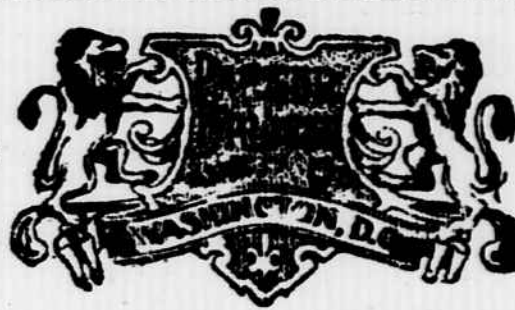
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**South Bend Post Office Burglarized.**

SOUTH BEND, Ind., November 16.—Burglars plundered the South Bend post office of \$18,653 in stamps, and made such a successful escape that post-office inspectors and policemen are without a clue on which to conduct their search for the thieves.



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